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FORM A  
D. B. Cook

### Soldier's Application for a Pension

The Commissioner of Pensions reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant:

*W. F. Saddle*

*Anderson* County

Postoffice *Henson Springs*

Filed *MAY 9 - 1915*

Approved *May 17 1915*

Pension allowed from *Sept 1 1915*

Rejected

*J. H. Brown*  
Commissioner of Pensions

FORM A

For Use of Soldiers Who Are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Anderson

I, N. F. Sadler do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the 33rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, 1913, on the following grounds:

I enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that I did not desert the Confederate service, but during said war I was loyal and true to my duty, and never at any time voluntarily abandoned my post of duty in the said service; ~~or (that I was in the service of the State of Texas during the war, to protect said State against the Indians and Mexicans for more than~~

~~6 months)~~ That I was honorably discharged or surrendered in April 1865 being in Col A W Ferrells regiment in the trans-Mississippi Department under Genl E Kirby Smith  
(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State since prior to January 1, A. D. 1900, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas. I do further state that I do not hold any National, State, city or county office which pays me a salary or fees of \$300.00 per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment or other source whatsoever which amounts to \$300.00 per annum, nor do I receive from any source whatever money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of \$300.00 per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does any one hold in trust for my benefit or use, nor does my wife own, nor does any one hold in trust for my wife, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the assessed value of over one thousand dollars, exclusive of a home of the value of not more than \$1000.00; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States, or from any other source, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 70 years old in June 1915
  2. Where were you born? in Anderson County, Texas
  3. How long have you resided in Texas? all my life - 70 years
  4. In what county do you reside? Anderson County, Texas
  5. How long have you resided in said county, and what is your postoffice address?  
70 years - Post Office is Denson Springs - Anderson Co Texas
  6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where. - NO -
  7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? farmer What is your physical condition? age only
  8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? State of Texas
  9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. I enlisted in the Summer of 1861 in Goulds Battalion - Walker's Division & afterwards enlisted in Col A W Ferrells regiment
  10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery?  
Company E - think 34th Regiment Ferrells regiment - my last enlistment
- Give the name of your colonel, lieutenant-colonel and major Col A W Ferrall, Lt Col Geo C Robertson - Maj Morgan
11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service.  
transferred from Col A W Ferralls 2nd Goulds Battalion to Col A W Ferralls regiment Sometime in 1863 (when regiment was organized) until close of war at surrender
  12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy?  
1st Cavalry & then infantry

- 13. If commissioned direct by the President, what was your rank and line of duty? X
- 14. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve? X
- 15. What is the assessed value of your home, if you own a home? about \$750.00
- 16. What is the assessed value of your other property? none \$800.00
- 17. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? no

Wherefore your petitioner prays that his application for a pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant.) N. F. Sadler

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 15 day of Febr, A. D. 1915

[Seal.]

E. V. Swift  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

[Note.]—There must be at least two credible witnesses.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

County of Anderson

Before me E. V. Swift County Judge of Anderson County

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared G. T. Bradford + Geo. Scarborough

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know.....

N. F. Sadler the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the

said N. F. Sadler has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior

to January 1, A. D. 1900, and that they have no interest in his claim.

(Signature of Witness) G. T. Bradford

(Signature of Witness) Geo Scarborough

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 15 day of Feby, A. D. 1915

[Seal.]

E. V. Swift  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

(If possible the two witnesses should have served with the applicant in the army, and if so, let them, or either, state it in their oath, their source of knowledge; also any information regarding applicant's army service.)

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

County of Anderson

Before me E. V. Swift County Judge of Anderson County

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared W. J. May + T. W. Moore

who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me sworn, on oath state that they are per-

sonally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in his application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in his claim, and said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And We further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge.)

We, W. Z. Day, and T. W. Moore know this from our personal knowledge; we were in the same Company with Mr. Sadler, the applicant; we served with him in Company E, 34th. Texas Regiment, for about two years; the said Sadler made a good soldier, and never deserted and never voluntarily abandoned his post of duty, We know that applicant is the same man that served with us, and have known him since the war.

(Signature of Witness) W. Z. Day  
(Signature of Witness) T. W. Moore

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 20 day of March, A. D. 1915

E. V. Swift

[Seal.]

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

**CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR**

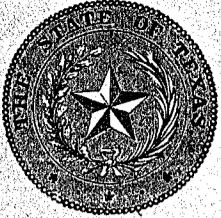
I, R. R. Sadler, State and County Assessor in the County of Anderson State of Texas, do certify that N. F. Sadler, or his wife, or his trustee, or trustee for his wife, whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-third Legislature, approved April 7, 1913, is charged on the tax rolls of said county with a homestead of the value of Seven hundred and Fifty Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of Eight hundred Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 8 day of March, A. D. 1915

R. R. Sadler  
State and County Assessor.



Recommended by  
E. V. Swift  
Co. Judge.



OFFICE OF  
 COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS  
 STATE OF TEXAS  
 AUSTIN

J. C. JONES, COMMISSIONER

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To the Adjutant General,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

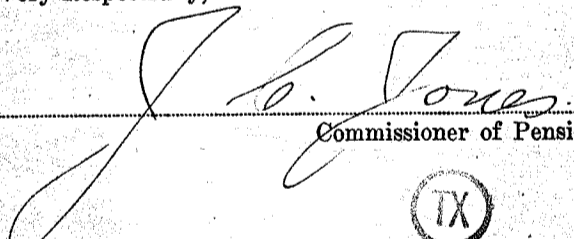
Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of N. F. Sadler who is  
 reported to have enlisted in Company E, Regiment 34 Terrels Reg.  
1 st Cav. later Infantry, Col. Terrell, Lt. Col, Jno. C. Robertson,  
Maj. Morgan,

in service of the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The.....person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension  
 granted by the State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very Respectfully,

  
 Commissioner of Pensions.



WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, May 14, 1915.

Respectfully returned to the  
Commissioner of Pensions,  
State of Texas, Austin.

The records show that N. F. Sadler,  
private, Company E, 37th (also known  
as 34th and Terrell's) Regiment Texas  
Cavalry, U.S.A., enlisted August 6,  
1863, at Palestine. On roll for  
January and February, 1864, only roll  
of company on file, he was reported  
present. No later record of him  
has been found.



The Adjutant General.

57-1116-28M

# AFFIDAVIT

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Return this affidavit to J. C. Jones, Commissioner of Pensions, Austin, Texas, on or before April 15th, 1917.

STATE OF TEXAS, Houston }  
County of Anderson }  
ORIGINAL COUNTY ANDERSON  
APPLICATION NO. 31299

This is to certify that I am the identical person to whom a pension has been granted under Articles 6267-6286, R. S. 1911, an Act approved April 7, 1913.

I also certify that the county in which my application was originally made and the file number of said application, according to the records in the office of the Commissioner of Pensions, are the same as given in the upper right-hand corner of this affidavit.

I further certify that the same conditions exist as did at the time my application for pension was made, that I do not own real or personal property to the value of One Thousand Dollars, exclusive of my homestead, the value of which does not exceed One Thousand Dollars; that my annual income, not including my pension, does not exceed Three Hundred Dollars; that I am a bona fide resident of the State of Texas, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home.

I hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with the pensioner whose signature appears above and that the statements made by him are true and correct. Signature of Pensioner.

Before me, the undersigned authority, person W. H. Leavitt Witness  
statements herein contained are true and correct. W. H. Leavitt appeared the above-named parties, well known to me, who state under oath that the  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of March A. D. 1917

PENSIONER'S NAME AND ADDRESS  
James H. Anderson in and for Houston County, Texas.  
(SEAL)

\*This is to certify that the undersigned, W. H. Leavitt and W. H. Leavitt are disinterested, credible witnesses and are in no wise related to the applicant whose signature is affixed to the above statement; that the applicant resides Houston County, Texas, P. O. that the applicant is the identical person to whom a pension has been granted and that the conditions which existed at the time of making said application and on which the pension was originally granted still exist; that the applicant signed the above statement in my presence.

Witness my hand this 6th day of March A. D. 1917  
Witnesses: W. H. Leavitt W. H. Leavitt

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared James H. Anderson and on oath states that the statement of the pensioner above set out was made and signed in Houston presence, and that the statements contained therein are within the knowledge of affiant true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed this 6th day of March A. D. 1917. Affiant.

(SEAL) W. H. Leavitt in and for Houston County, Texas.

\*To be filled out and executed in case applicant cannot go before an officer to make affidavit.

PENSIONER'S NAME AND ADDRESS  
James H. Anderson  
Approved for W. H. Leavitt Commissioner of Pensions

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Mr J. C. Jones Commissioner  
of pensions Austin TX

Kind Sir

This is to notify  
you of the death of my father  
N. H. Sadler on the 16<sup>th</sup>  
of this month. you will  
find his name on  
the pension roll.

I notice that under a late  
law, that we are entitled  
to funeral expenses  
from the state. please  
mail me necessary blanks  
or advise me how to  
proceed with same. Res<sup>t</sup>  
O. H. Sadler

May 7th, 1917

Mr. Claud Sadler,

Percilla, Texas.

My dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 28th ult., and to inclose affidavit and application to be used in claim for Mortuary Warrant, to be issued account of death of pensioner N. F. Sadler, # 31299, Anderson County.

You will please see that every line in both papers in completely filled in, and the account itemized before returning to this Department.

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,

Commissioner



Lis.

Copy filed

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683-417-3M

MORTUARY WARRANT

In accordance with Law passed by Thirty-fifth Legislature of Texas in Regular Session

Grapeland, Texas, May 26th, 1917

STATE OF TEXAS

To *N.H. Long*  
*Grapeland* ~~*Anderson*~~ *Texas*

WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY

Account of Death of Pensioner No. *21299*, County *Anderson*

Pensioner's Name in full *Mr. N. F. Sadler*

ITEMIZE ACCOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THIRTY DOLLARS.

*1 Cash* *\$30.00*



To above account for *Thirty* Dollars  
is just, due and unpaid. *McLong*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *26th*, day of *May*, 1917  
*Jno. A. Davis* J.P.P. No. 5

Notary Public, *Houston*, County, *Texas*.

No. 61

W. N. Long & Co.

\$ 30.00

31299 Anderson

Confederate Pension Fund Fund

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS  
STATE OF TEXAS  
AUSTIN

Correct, for the sum of \$ 30.00

Charge to Confederate Pension Fund

J. C. Jones

Commissioner of Pensions.

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT.

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson }

I, Claud Sadler

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late N. F. Sadler, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 31299 and whose original county is Anderson

The said pensioner N. F. Sadler died on the 9th day of April, 1917, in the town of Geracilla P.O. County of Anderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Claud Sadler who was related to the pensioner as son

That the warrant which application is hereby made for, shall be applied to paying all or part of the expenses incurred by the said pensioner N. F. Sadler

I further certify that the warrant for the current quarter has not been cashed by the pensioner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the pensioner as son and that my home is in the town of Geracilla P.O. County of Anderson

State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Geracilla IX

sworn to this 26th day of May, 1917

Signed Claud Sadler

Before me Jno. A. Davis, Justice. Peace. Prec. No. 5. in and for the County of Houston. State of Texas, personally appeared Claud Sadler.

who being by me duly sworn did certify to, and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

Jno. A. Davis J.P.P. No. 5. in and for Houston. Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, W. H. Gray do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of Mapleland County of Houston State of Tex

that I had charge of the body of N. F. Sadler, who died in the town of Geracilla P.O. County of Anderson State of Tex

on the 9th day of April, 1917 That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 10th day of April, 1917 That said body was buried in the Morse Cemetery, which is located in the County of Anderson

State of Tex and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for, should be issued to the said Claud Sadler who makes the foregoing application.

Signed W. H. Gray

Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do certify that I am a practicing physician and that I attended N. F. Sadler in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were \_\_\_\_\_



I further certify that I am of the opinion that the Mortuary Warrant above requested, should be issued in the name of the aforementioned applicant, in accordance with Act passed by the 35th Legislature, and approved \_\_\_\_\_ 1917.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Physician.

Physician's Address \_\_\_\_\_